

# THE HONDO ANVIL HERALD.

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## The Plain Figure Furniture Store

This is the store where you get the most goods for the least money. Buying in car load lots enables us to buy the same goods for less money than it would be possible to do were the purchases smaller. The discount procured by heavy buying we share liberally with our customers. This is the store where you get the greatest accommodations with the least exertion and worry to yourself. All the different styles and grades of Furniture, Carpets, Rugs, Draperies, Etc., you will find under the same roof. You don't have to shop all over town to complete your bill. Buy as much or as little as suits you, at the plain figure price store. Ten per cent discount for cash and we pay the freight to all railroad points between San Antonio and Uvalde.

### NEW FALL ARRIVALS

#### OF LATEST CREATIONS IN FURNISHINGS



Fall styles in apparel and fabrics, representing the latest ideas of leading Eastern designers, are now beginning to be shown in our stocks. New lines are being received daily. These early showings express that degree of originality and exclusiveness which is always characteristic of the merchandise of this store. The new Autumn merchandise will make this store a place of exceptional interest this coming Fall and Winter.

### EXTRA SUIT SALE

#### YOUR OPPORTUNITY---NOW!

Deliberate choice of 250 Suits that we were lucky enough to buy from the manufacturer at a great sacrifice, therefore you can buy them at a great saving. We have divided them into six sections, on separate counters, and are as follows:

\$4.00 to \$5.00 Values	. .	\$3.35
5.50 to 7.50 Values	. .	4.77
8.00 to 10.00 Values	. .	6.69
11.00 to 13.50 Values	. .	9.88
14.00 to 17.50 Values	. .	12.48
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Schmitt & Steinhardt's Selection Flour, per barrel in sacks.....	5.75
Golden Gate Flour, per barrel in sacks.....	5.75
Choice Peaberry Green Coffee, 7 lbs. for.....	1.00
Choice Rio Green Coffee, 8 lbs. for.....	1.00
Fancy Rio Green Coffee, 7 lbs. for.....	1.00
25c Extra Standard Calif. Peaches, Pears and Apricots, No. 3s.....	can 19c
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Standard Tomatoes, No. 3s.....	can 11c
Standard Tomatoes, No. 2s.....	can 7c
Private Stock, sweet Maine Corn.....	can 18c
Daisy Brand Peas, No. 2s, special.....	can 8c
Great Western Early June Peas, No. 2s.....	can 11c
Lusterlite Lamp Oil.....	gal. 12¢

### Men's Fall Hats Are Now Ready

For several days we have been unpacking and placing on display our big stock of new Fall Hats for Men and Young Men. They're here in all the new shapes and all the popular colors for Fall wear. If you want the correct hat for this Fall you can depend upon getting it at SCHMITT & STEINHARDT'S. We want the men to come in--whether it is to buy now or simply to learn what's what in hats for the coming Autumn season.

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"Stetson" soft hats in all the regular shapes--\$5.00 to \$10.

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## Synopsis of Game Law.

You may kill 25 quail or doves in any one day only from Nov. 1 to Feb. 1 of each year.

You may kill 3 buck deer only from Nov. 1 to Jan. 1 of each year.

You may kill 3 wild turkeys only from Dec. 1 to April 1 of each year.

You may kill in all seasons of the year duck, geese, robins, wild pigeon, snipe, jacksnipe, curlews, Mexican pheasants or chachalaca; bag limit, 25 in any one day.

You may kill rabbits, squirrels, fox, opossums, coons, bear, in any number in all seasons.

You may ship or transport to your home such game as you have lawfully killed by making proper affidavit.

You must not buy or sell any of the wild game or game birds, or kill, catch or destroy the eggs, or have in possession, living or dead, any wild song bird, except hawks, crows, buzzards, owls, English sparrows, rice birds and black birds.

You must not hunt for any game or birds at night with a lantern, hunting lamps or any other light.

Any person may hunt or kill any game during the open season, when it is lawful to kill game, in the county of his residence, or in the counties adjoining the county of his residence, or on land owned or controlled by him, without procuring a hunter's license; but they must not hunt beyond the boundaries of their adjoining counties without a hunting license, said hunting license must be carried on the person when hunting.

You must not use or attempt to use the license of another person; or in any manner make any change in any license for the purpose of transferring the same, under the penalty of prosecution for forgery.—EX.

## The Lash of a Fiend

would have been about as welcome to A. Cooper of Oswego, N. Y., as a merciless lung-racking cough that defied all remedies for years. "It was most troublesome at night," he writes, "nothing helped me till I used Dr. King's New Discovery which cured me completely. I never cough at night now." Millions know its matchless merit for stubborn colds, obstinate coughs, sore lungs, lagriple, asthma, hemorrhage, croup, whooping cough, or hay fever. It relieves quickly and never fails to satisfy. A trial convinces. 50c. \$1.00. Trial bottle free. It's positively guaranteed by W. H. Windrow.

## Reward.

The less you require looking after, the more able you are to stand alone and complete your tasks, the greater your reward. Then if you cannot only do your work, but direct intelligently and effectively the efforts of others, your reward is in exact ratio, and the more people you direct, and the higher the intelligence you can rightly lend, the more valuable is your life.—Elbert Hubbard.

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The sole leather that goes into these shoes is selected for its extra-long wearing qualities. It is tanned by a special mineral process, which produces a leather so tough that it will wear twice as long as the ordinary sole-leather.

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## Real Estate Transfers

For week ending Saturday, Sept. 3, 1910.

J. I. Kercheville to Ramon Hernandez, July 19, 1910, deed to lot 6, block 2, Mexican addition to Devine, \$25.00. Chas. Filieman and wife to Joseph N. Enderle, August 20, 1910, deed to 30 acres out of a 58-acre tract, survey 438, Jos. McGinnis, \$950.

Eugene Naegelin to R. O. Winkler, Aug. 18, 1910, deed to 336 acres of land out of survey 43, in name of B. Sandoval, \$10,080.00.

Hugh F. Woods to Jacob H. Schweers, Aug. 31, 1910, deed to 1/2 interest in all the unsold lots in "Lawn Addition" to Hondo, other considerations and \$425 in cash.

Mrs. M. M. Harrison to T. J. Harrison, Aug. 25, 1910, deed to 1/2 interest in 1/2 acres out of Sur. No. 3, F. Williams, love and affection.

John F. Hardt and wife to John W. Schweers, Sept. 1, 1910, Quit Claim Deed to 900 acres, Surveys or Sections Nos. 48, 186, 328 and 185, State Lands, \$8500.00.

P. S. Ward to H. N. Burgin, Aug. 31, 1910, deed to 357/8 acres out of survey No. 764, in name of Adam Coble, \$7982.50.

H. N. Burgin and wife to H. C. Stiegler, Aug. 20, 1910, deed to 320 acres, West half of Section No. 330, patented School Land, \$4500.00.

## Hoppity Hop.

Are you just barely getting around by the aid of crutches or a cane? Unless you have lost a limb or have a deformity—if your trouble is rheumatism, lumbago, sprain, stiff joints, or anything of like nature use Ballard's Snow Liniment and in no time you can throw away your crutches and be as well as anyone. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

## Upper Hondo.

BY LILLY

ED ANVIL HERALD:

On Saturday Aug. 27th, the people were gathered at the school house where the gymnasts had a picnic and at night they had a dance. Frank and Oscar Mangold furnished the music. Everybody reported a good time.

Mr. Aug. Pressler and sisters, Misses Erna and Hilda, of Comfort and Miss Rosa Minch, of Boerne, were pleasant visitors in our midst.

Mr. Emil Barth of Verdina were here for the picnic.

Mr. Presler returned home to Comfort after a two weeks stay in our midst.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Forst of Hondo were here for the picnic.

Little Walter and Anton Grell and sister, Amanda, of Hondo, are here visiting their little cousins, Louise and Ida Marquis.

Some of the Bandera young folks were here for the dance Saturday night.

Aug. 30, 1910.

## It Saved His Leg.

"All thought I'd lose my leg," writes J. A. Swensen, of Watertown, Wis. "Ten years of eczema, that 15 doctors could not cure, had at last laid me up. Then Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured it, sound and well." Infallible for Skin Eruptions, Eczema, Salt Rheum, Boils, Fever Sores, Burns, Scalds, Cuts and Piles. 25c at W. H. Windrow's.

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## To Be Happy

you must have good health. You can't have good health if your liver is not doing its duty—slow but sure poisoning is going on all the time under such circumstances. Ballard's Herbine makes a perfectly healthy liver—keeps the stomach and bowels right and acts as a tonic for the entire system. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

## A Slight Jolt.

Sapleigh—I'd nevah mawry a swomg-minded woman, doncher know. Miss Caustique—I can readily believe that. In fact, I don't believe the woman who faces the parson with you will have any mind at all.

**A Burglar in Town**  
his name is "bad cough". He doesn't care for gold or silver but he will steal your health away. If he appears in your house arrest him at once with Ballard's Horehound Syrup, it may mean consumption if you don't. A cure for all coughs, colds and chest troubles. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

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This Department is in charge of our Authorized Agent for Castroville,

ED H. HUEHNER, Editor

who is authorized to collect and receipt for money due this paper and to whom items intended for this page should be submitted.—Editor.

BORN, to Mr. and Mrs. Hy. F. Wurzbach, on Sunday, Aug. 28, 1910, a son, Geo. Aschbacher, the jovial Weiss Beer man of San Antonio, was setting 'em up to the boys here Monday.

Henry Zinsmeister and son, Louis, were down from Pipe Creek the fore part of the past week on business.

Messrs. Albert Haby and Aug. Bell left Tuesday noon on a business trip to San Antonio.

Col. Emil Zimmermann and son, Edmund, left for San Antonio Tuesday evening. Edmund has accepted a position with "Carle Grocery Co." We wish the young man all possible success.

Rev. Walter Kralik and family left Wednesday for San Antonio and Seguin on business and pleasure bound.

Messrs. C. L. Marty and Joe Forst made a business trip to the County Site Wednesday.

S. A. Jungmann was also a Hondo business visitor Wednesday.

About 1.2 inches of rain fell here Wednesday evening. It was preceded by one of the worst sand or dust storms witnessed for many years.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. T. Mangold moved from the Kieffer place [former Quill office] to the Alb. Bourquin place Thursday.

Mrs. Annie M. Zoller of San Antonio was visiting relatives and friends here Friday.

BORN, to Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Holzhaus, on Friday, Sept. 2, 1910, a son.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferd. Kilhorn Jr. left Saturday on a visit to relatives and friends at Biri.

W. E. Brucks was a Castroville business visitor Saturday.

DIGESTION AND ASSIMILATION.

It is not the quantity of food taken but the amount digested and assimilated that gives strength and vitality to the system. Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets invigorate the stomach and liver and enable them to perform their functions naturally. For sale by all dealers.

KANSAS SOCIETY.

Society may suit some people, but so far as we are concerned it consists of nothing but an uncomfortable chair to sit on and a dab of something indigestible to eat.—Atchison Globe.

AS USUALLY TREATED, A SPRAINED ANKLE WILL DISABLE A MAN FOR THREE OR FOUR WEEKS, BUT BY APPLYING CHAMBERLAIN'S LINIMENT FREELY AS SOON AS THE INJURY IS RECEIVED, AND OBSERVING THE DIRECTIONS WITH EACH BOTTLE, A CURE CAN BE EFFECTED IN FROM TWO TO FOUR DAYS. FOR SALE BY ALL DEALERS.

THE PHARMACEUTICAL WINK.

CHURCH—"I see the pharmacists are going to have a ball in New York."

GOTHAM—"YES, JUST COME OVER THE BRIDGE IF YOU WANT TO GO, AND WINK, AND I GUESS YOU'LL GET IN RIGHT."

YONKERS STATESMAN.

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IN SOCIETY.

THE YOUNG LAWYER—"I HAVE ONLY TWO BOOKS IN MY LIBRARY AND THEY MEET ALL MY NEEDS, 'GOOD STYLE' AND THE PENAL CODE."—FLIEZENDEN BLÄTTER.

A MORNING REMINDER.

YOU AWAKE WITH A MEAN, NASTY

TASTE IN THE MOUTH, WHICH REMINDS

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## THEY "DONE FETCHED" IT"

Triumph Assured When Those That  
"Had the Power" Set Out to  
Bring the Rain.

"Uh-yassah! Yassah! Tanky, sah;  
dis sholy am a gawgis rain!" triumphantly said old Brother Dickey Wagstaff. "And us Meferdists is de inst'munts, under de Lawd, dat done foched it!

"No use in dem udde 'nomernations tryin' deir tricks—dey couldn't cut it! Dey was wrong, de whole posse of 'em (and dey alius is); dat's what's de matter wid 'em. De Babdists, all de diff'nt breeds of 'em—de Mish-nary Babdists, and he Hard Shells, de Primity Babdists, de Peepees, and de Low Brush—dey holds a union meetin' and prays for rain; but—huh! Not a drap! And us Shoutin' Meferdists, we known how 'twould be, all de time.

"Well-uh, and next, all de little ticky 'nomernations—wrong, too, o' cou'se—de Piscopaliens, and de Camellites (dat's wronger dan any o' de rest, and knows dey's wrong, fetch-tak 'em!) and de NewUnited Presbyterians, and de Cumbersome Presbyterians, and dat 'ar funny little nomernation, de Whatoy'm'wallums, dat don't be Heve in havin' an awgin in de church, and is wrong, and ain't got no sense, besides—dey all helt a j'int camp-meetin' and done what dey could. Oh, dey tried, sah; dey tried, but it wan't no use—dey was wrong!

"And den!—well, sah, us Shoutin' Meferdists dess let dem foolish people go on; let 'em go on, and didn't aint 'em none to speak of. And den we—we dat had de power—tuk uh-holt. Held a shed-meetin', we did, down dar in de holler. All de good old wheel-hawses fun miles around was dar, and de singin' sistahs, and three floatin' evangelists, and two 'zorters, and sich as dat; and we girded up our lawns, and broke fo' th'. Well, sah, it took us dess a week, dat's all. On de night o' de seventh day Brudder Hooley Ooley, dat doctahs hawsen now and ag'in and has de gift o' tongues de rest o' de time riz up an' announced dat he'd dess heerd a voice drap down, uh-sayin': 'If yo'all will dess hush a minute, I'll rain!' Oh, we foched it, sah!—foched it uh-kase we was right!" Tom P. Morgan, in Puck.

## A DIFFERENCE.



TEACHER—MASSACHUSETTS is called the "Bay State."

TOMMY (whose father runs a livery stable)—IT'S SORREL ON THE MAP, MA'AM.

## FURTHER PARTICULARS.

THE MAN WHO WAS GOING TO ST. IVES HAD JUST MET THE SEVEN WIVES.

THEIR COMBINED LUGGAGE, AS HAS BEEN NARRATED, CONSISTED OF 49 SACKS CONTAINING IN THE AGGREGATE 343 CATS AND 2,401 KITTENS.

"AH," SAID HE, PLEASENTLY, "WHAT HAVE WE HERE? A TRAVELING CAT SHOW?"

"NO, SIR," THEY EXPLAINED; "WE ARE ANSWERING A WANT AD."

THUS, ONE BY ONE, DOES SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH CONTINUE TO SOLVE THE MYSTERIES OF THE AGES.

## THEIR EUROPEAN JOURNEY.

"AND DID YOU GO THROUGH BERLIN WHILE TOURING ABROAD?" ASKED THE CALLER.

"DID WE, DEAR?" SAID THE WIFE TO HER HUSBAND.

"YES," REPLIED THE BUSY MAN FROM BEHIND HIS PAPER; "DON'T YOU REMEMBER WE BOUGHT SOME GASOLINE THERE?"

"AND PARIS—DO YOU STOP IN PARIS?" CONTINUED THE CALLER.

"DID WE, DEAR?" ASKED THE WIFE OF HER BETTER HALF.

"WHY, OF COURSE. DON'T YOU KNOW WE BUSTED A TIRE THERE AND HAD TO HAVE ANOTHER PUT ON?"

## A REMARKABLE BOY.

WOGGS—YOU SEEM TO BE VERY PROUD OF YOUR YOUNGEST SON. HE MUST BE A VERY REMARKABLE YOUTH.

BOGGS—HE IS. JUDGING FROM THE PAPERS, I THINK HE IS THE ONLY 12-YEAR-OLD BOY IN THE COUNTRY WHO HASN'T INVENTED A PERFECT WIRELESS TELEGRAPH, SUBMARINE BOAT OR AIRPLANE.—PUCK.

## ANSWER.

A CORRESPONDENT THINKS TO GET US INTO TROUBLE BY PROFOUNDING A THEOLOGICAL POSER. HE ASKS "WHY DID ST. PAUL MAKE IT COMPULSORY FOR WOMEN TO WEAR THEIR HATS IN CHURCH?"

EASY, OLD CHAP. HE WANTED TO MAKE SURE THAT ALL THE WOMEN WOULD GO TO CHURCH.—WASHINGTON STAR.

## DIFFERENT CONDITIONS.

"WHEN I WAS A GIRL," SAID MRS. McGUDLEY, "A YOUNG MAN WHO WAS ENGAGED TO A GIRL ASKED HER FOR A LOCK OF HER HAIR."

"YES," ANSWERED MISS CAYENNE, "BUT IN THOSE DAYS GIRLS COULD AFFORD TO GIVE AWAY HAIR. THEY RAISED IT THEMSELVES INSTEAD OF BUYING IT."



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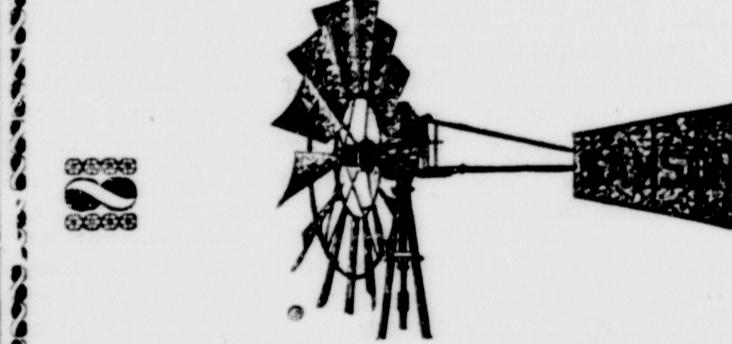
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Monday, September 12th

Showing of Fall Styles from  
Fashion's Source

Nowhere else will you find such an array or such a variety from which to choose as the display we are now showing in our trimmed millinery salon on the second floor of Schmitt & Steinhardt's. The world's famous fashion centers have contributed to this magnificent display—beautiful, tasteful and becoming hats that to duplicate elsewhere you would pay two or three times more.

Come! We Cordially Invite you to this Opening

**Mrs. M. S. Ragland,** Over Schmitt & Steinhardt's store

## : :VIEWS ^ N D REVIEWS: :

CHEERFULNESS is its own reward!

A SMILE—of the right kind—will help you on!

HE is happiest whose conscience is void of offense!

LOOK on the bright side, it is the right side; and no situation is ever so bad but it might be worse.

HE who stills the angry gnawings of an envious heart and is content to take what his merits win has won the noblest success!

ATASCOSA county is torn from center to circumference over the proposition to remove the county seat from Pleasanton to Jourdanton. These county seat fights are something fierce and it takes years and years to heal the sores they make.

EDITOR Davis of the Hondo Anvil Herald would be in favor of a hog law if sufficiently encouraged by the city clientele. He says: "It's no use to ask can Hondo's hog pens 'come back.' This scent 'hasn't went' yet"—San Antonio Express.

THE Uvalde Leader-News thinks that our dry farmers, tiring of Hondo deep well water, will be attracted to Uvalde by her pure spring water. You must offer them a better inducement, Brother; people never tire of Hondo's pure and wholesome beverage—for bathing purposes!

It has been our fortune to be misunderstood and abused by men of whom we had a right to expect better things on more than one occasion. But we have lived to see some who hated us the worst turn to our warmest friends.

It has ever been our effort to do the right as we see it and this in the end always wins.

BRYAN is out of harmony with his party in Nebraska over the liquor problem and is writing some of the most illogical rot we ever saw come from the pen of an alleged great man. And therein he is doing more to disrupt his party in that state than is the strongest efforts of the Republicans.

SCHOOL is announced to open on the 26th instant. With more room and an increase in the faculty it is hoped that this year will eclipse any in the school's previous history in successful work. Parents can greatly facilitate this by having their children ready for a prompt entrance and seeing that they attend regularly.

TOM Watson, the brainiest man in Georgia today, was hissed from the stage by an audience which he was attempting to address in enlightened Atlanta the other day. And a few days ago a man in Roosevelt's audience out west denounced him as a liar. Verily, even the great ones are getting their in these caloric dog days.

THE Anvil Herald has always given the free use of its columns impartially to the various churches and church societies of the town for the dissemination of news pertaining thereto. It is still ready to accord this courtesy to one and all and when any such matter is missed from our columns you may know we have not been supplied with it.

COTTON is still coming in rapidly but the season will not last much longer. The yield will be little better than a bale to ten acres on the average. The good price for the staple has helped

## BRINGS the CITY to the FARM!

### THE RURAL TELEPHONE

Sooner or later, Mr. Farmer, you'll want a telephone in your home. When you get it, you'll wonder how you got along without it, for nothing can do the telephone's work. Its services become indispensable for calling a physician; for summoning help in a hurry; for ordering supplies when it's inconvenient to go to town; for talking to neighbors or friends; or for communicating with persons wherever there's a Bell telephone.

The farmer without a telephone is like a farm with no labor-saving machinery.

We have a plan for furnishing you and your neighbors with full local and long-distance telephone facilities at a figure so low it will surprise you.

Write for free booklet describing plan and giving particulars.

Address our nearest manager or

**The Southwestern Telegraph & Telephone Co.**  
Dallas, Texas



materially but with the large quantity of feed to buy much of the proceeds will go out of the country. Two short crop years in succession makes it hard on our people but old citizens are predicting that next year will be a good crop year, so let us all take courage, look upon the bright side and hope and labor for better things.

IT is earnestly hoped that the contract to go 1600 feet in the new well will strike an artesian flow. It would enable the town to put in water mains and fire-plugs and cause the present exorbitant fire insurance rates to take a tumble. Water would be available for watering trees and shrubbery in our yards and parks and our town would take on a much prettier appearance. The long needed ice factory would also be within the possibilities of the near future. But even if we can't have all these, the striking of a flow of water equal to that in the present well will be of incalculable benefit to our town.

DR. MOORE, of Seguin, told an audience in Corpus Christi the other day that Congressman John Garner was a hybrid Democrat. John Garner has never been in the habit of mixing either his politics or his soda water, and his democracy has been so acceptable to the voters of the Fifteenth district that no man has ever met him in a fight without being carried off the field of battle in an ambulance. If the doctor's diagnosis in medicine is as far wrong as it is in politics, he probably owns several private grave-yards.—Laredo Times. Don't be too hard on the good Doctor. The only trouble with him is he has his politics mixed and every time he has made a speech in Medina county he has increased Judge Garner's majority.

THE Texas Dry Farming Congress is in session this week at Eagle Pass. If this congress can teach Southwest Texas how to make one blade of grass grow where two have dried up it will have accomplished much of a beneficial nature for the country.—Hondo Anvil Herald. Hondo Davis should have come to the Congress and he would have learned that very thing. Then he could have gone back home and told all of those farmers in Medina county how it was done. However, there was a fine delegation from Medina county and everyone will say that they learned what Editor Davis wants to know. We want to see Hondo Davis at the meeting of the Southwest Texas Press and Commercial Association at Sander-son on September 16-17, and if he shows up we will forgive him all the sins of omission he has committed!—Eagle Pass News-Guide. It were worth miles and miles of travel to bask in the smiles of Joe's forgiveness. But until the successors of Terrible Tom and his automaton of the 30th and 31st Legislatures restore to the fraternity the right of contract or the walking improves, we will have to enjoy Joe's forgiveness by "absent treatment."

### For Sale.

800 acres 9 miles from Hondo, 640 in cultivation, good improvements, \$30.00 per acre.

160 acres, 1 mile from Hondo, \$55.00 per acre.

78 acres in cultivation, with good house, first class improvements, \$50.00 per acre.

Good residence, 3 acres of land with blacksmith shop, tools and everything, \$2000.00, 1-2 cash.

30 acres, 1-4 mile from Hondo; cheap. 950 acres, 6 miles from Hondo, with improvements, \$26.50 per acre.

20 acres of land with good nine room house in Hondo for \$3750.00.

1000 acres, 9 miles from Hondo, \$20.00 per acre.

760 acres, 8 miles from Hondo, improved, \$30.00 per acre.

9 acre tract for \$1050.00.

I can sell you a lot in Hondo for \$50. I have many good investments outside of this; come and see me.

If you want to save some money come and see me. It will not cost you a cent.

J. G. HEYEN,  
Hondo, Texas.

### To the Public.

Having sold my interest in the Fulton Livery and Transfer Business to Mrs. M. Terrell, who will have the business continued under competent management, I wish to thank the public for its generous patronage in the past and to ask a continuance of the same to my successors, and assure you that whatever favors are shown the business will be merited and appreciated.

Again thanking you, I am,  
Yours truly,  
C. R. FULTON.

### Letter to J. G. Newton.

Hondo, Texas.

Dear Sir: Every house owner in Hondo ought to know these facts:

1s. Every job painted Devoe takes less gallons than of any other paint.

2nd. The paint that takes least gallons wears longest; Always. We can't help it.

Yours truly,

F W DEVOE & CO

P. S. Holloway Bros. sell our paint.

## No. 5765. Report of the Condition OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF HONDO.

at Hondo, in the State of Texas, at the close of business, Sept. 1st, 1910.

### RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts,	\$157,944.79
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured,	5,902.77
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation,	50,000.00
Banking house, Furniture and fixtures,	5,000.00
Due from National Banks, (not reserve agents),	667.80
Due from State and Private Banks and Bankers, Trust Companies, and Savings Banks	26.64
Due from approved reserve agents,	43,202.18
Checks and other cash items, Banks	57.96
Treasury (per cent cirula'n)	2,500.00
TOTAL	\$283,478.62

### LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	\$50,000.00
Surplus fund	19,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid,	2,515.25
National Bank notes outstanding	50,000.00
Due to other National Banks	818.69
Due to State and Private Banks and Bankers	217.68
Individual deposits subject to check	155,110.79
Time certificates of deposit	689.20
Bills payable, including certificates of deposit for money borrowed	5,000.00
Liabilities other than those above stated	127.01
TOTAL	\$283,478.62

State of Texas, County of Medina, ss

I, J. M. Finger, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. M. FINGER, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of Sept., 1910.

[L. s.] L. J. BRUCKS,

Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

ED. DE MONTEL,  
GEO. W. JONES,  
JOE FOHN,

Directors.

### OFFICIAL STATEMENT

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AT HONDO, STATE OF TEXAS,  
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Published in the Hondo Anvil Herald, a newspaper printed and published at Hondo, State of Texas, on the 10th day of Sept., 1910.

### RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts personal or collateral	\$65,821.71
Overdrafts	25,223.00
Real Estate (banking house)	6,164.70
Furniture and Fixtures	1,938.02
Due from Approved Reserve Agents	\$25,741.29
Due from other Banks and Bankers, subject to check	163.15 25,904.44
Cash Items	\$ 214.15
Currency	8,568.00
Specie	5,346.14 14,128.29
Interest in Bank Guaranty fund	839.96
TOTAL	\$140,277.35

### LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock paid in	\$30,000.00
Surplus Fund	2,000.00
Undivided Profits, net	3,206.66
Individual Deposits, subject to check	95,020.69
Bills Payable and Re-discounts	10,000.00
Dividends unpaid	50.00
TOTAL	\$140,277.35

STATE OF TEXAS, ) County of Medina ss

We, Henry Rothe, as president, and T. A. White as cashier of said bank, each of us do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

HENRY ROTHE, Pres.

T. A. WHITE, Cashier.

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 6th day of Sept., A. D. nineteen hundred and ten.

WITNESS my hand and notarial seal on the date last aforesaid.

J. G. NEWTON,

[SEAL] Notary Public.

CORRECT—ATTEST:

D. H. FLY,

DIRECTORS.

E. R. LEINWEBER,

"Old Folks' Dance."

There will be an "Old Folks' Dance" at the pavilion in Old D'Hanis, Saturday night, Sept. 10th. For married people only.

**Representative Party.**  
Mrs. J. W. Holloway entertained the

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## Dunlay News.

BY SLEEPY

ED. ANVIL HERALD:

A light shower fell here the middle of last week. It cooled off the atmosphere a little and settled the dust for a few days.

Mrs. Emil Lebold gave a quilting bee to a number of her friends. While a lot of talking was done, it can't be said that the ladies were not busy sewing, as two quilts were finished in a very short time. For refreshments beer, soda water, lemonade and cake were served. Those present besides the hostess and her daughters were Miss Llama Davis and Mesdames Wm. Burger, Adolph Haby and Joe Steinle.

Miss Emma Lebold spent Sunday and Monday with friends at Hondo.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Haby attended the Shooting Club meeting at Quibi Sunday.

Mrs. Emil Lebold and daughter, Miss Nora, went to Hondo Tuesday morning returning the same evening.

Robert Breiten and sisters, Misses Emma and Lisette, and Misses Bella and Nella Brucks and Henry Schwerz attended the dance at Vandenberg Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferd. Boehme of Rio Medina passed through here Monday on their way home from Biry.

Harm J. Lindeberg, one of Quibi's most prosperous farmers' was in town business yesterday.

Mrs. Aug. Bilhartz of Pearsall visited relatives and friends in the burg a few days last week.

Merchant L. Haby visited Castroville Sunday afternoon. He was accompanied home by Grandma Carle.

Adolph Haby had a well drilled by Mr. B. H. Brucks a few weeks ago. Plenty water was found and now he is busy erecting a windmill and laying pipes to his pasture. Mr. Brucks also finished a well for Mr. L. A. Haby a few days ago. Plenty of water was found at about 80 feet. Water is plentiful now in Dunlay. All we want now for the S. P. Co. to sink a deep well here.

Ross Hollaway and Henry Emery were Hondo visitors Sunday.

Mr. Ed Haby sold three horses to Mr. Schwartz a few days ago.

Capt. E. Lebold attended the shooting at Quibi last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Meyer attended church in Castroville Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bischoff of Senior, Texas, spent a few days with their children, Mr. and Mrs. John Wiemers. Dunlay, Sept. 6, 1910.

Funeral notices printed at the Anvil Herald office.

Any one wishing to save money on the purchase of a new piano will find it to his interest to consult the editor of his paper.

## Stockmen!

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Louis Pichot, who works for the S. A. Electric Co., spent Labor Day here with relatives.

John N. Henderson, the livery stable man, left yesterday for a few days' visit to Seguin.

Miss Ruby Langford of Bandera opened the Fly school last Monday for the ensuing session.

Mrs. Joe Fohn and children are spending several days with Mrs. Jacob Fohn on the ranch.

Max Schwartz has been here this week buying horses. He shipped a car load to Schulenberg Wednesday.

Octavia Davis returned Thursday from a several weeks' visit to Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Watters in San Antonio.

It is announced that the B. Y. P. U. will give a box supper and tacky party at the home of Rev. Marlin next Tuesday night.

A retail malt liquor dealer's license was issued this week to Jos. Tschirhart, Jr., who will open a beer saloon at Noonan.

Gustave Rothe and sisters, Alice and Elsie, of D'Hanis were here yesterday in their car visiting their sister, Mrs. Felix Batot.

Joe Biry and two little boys were here yesterday from the Medina en route to D'Hanis to visit his brother-in-law, Nic Deckert.

Jack Fusselman was in town Saturday. From him we learned that his gin had turned out 350 bales this season. He expects to gin upwards of 700 bales this year.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Francis of Atascosa county, aged 86 and 83 years respectively, arrived here Thursday on a visit to their nephew, W. E. McLeod. After a short visit here they will go to New Mexico to spend their remaining days with a married daughter.

Fritz Muennink spent Sunday at Sturm Hill. While there he umpired a game of ball which was played between the married men and boys. The score was 2 to 3 in favor of the boys. Batteries—men, E. W. Balzen and Ben de Joiner; boys, Arnold Balzen and Andrew Oefinger. The feature of the game was several home runs knocked by Claude Gilliam.

## DR. W. H. SMITH

Physician and Surgeon

Office in Leinweber Building  
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Bailey can please you.  
C. D. Conley, thee tailor.  
atronize our advertisers; it pays.  
ammocks and croquet sets, Holloway Bros.  
chocolate candies of all kinds at F. Heyen's.  
wagon and harness for sale. Apply to Joe Hay.  
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Henry Loesberg of Biry is a late addition to our band of readers.

can clean Ladies' skirts to a man's taste. Try me. C. D. Conley.  
suit that wears long and always stays new can be had from C. D. Con-

We have everything an up-to-date lady should have. Give us a look. Geo. Hay.

ook Satchels, Straps, Lunch Boxes, Pencil Boxes, etc., etc., at Windrow's Drug Store.

Incle Jimmy Anderson went to San Antonio Sunday to visit his family, returned Tuesday.

or Sale, \$3000.00—vendor's liens. First class real-estate security. Apply to J. G. Heyen.

Just arrived, a new lot of Waterman fountain pens, from \$1.00 to \$3.00, at Windrow's Drug Store.

Remember C. D. Conley when these are on your mind. He can always make you happy.

All nine of the applicants for teaching certificates were successful in last tuesday's examination.

Every kind of Pencil, Pen, Ink, Tab and School Book for the schools is Windrow's Drug Store.

H. F. Woods went to Seguin Sunday, turning Wednesday. He reports everything dry in that section.

Miss Lois Elder left Tuesday for San Antonio where she resumes her studies at the San Antonio Female College.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Jungman and boys 't the first of the week for Rockport where they will enjoy a pleasant outing.

Mrs. E. Lebold and daughter, Miss Clara, were here Tuesday from Dunlap opping and visiting the family of Lebold.

Mrs. Henry Rothe and Mr. and Mrs. mold Rothe returned Wednesday morning from their visit to relatives Ashton.

We failed to mention last week that Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Grimsinger had returned from a pleasant visit to friends at the Medina.

For Sale, The Sellers place in Garwood addition, two lots and a house, \$325 if sold at once. Apply to the Hondo Land Co.

Joe Lieber and daughter, Miss Emma, were here from the Nueces Saturday visiting Toby Koch and family and other relatives.

—Ice Cream and Cold Beverages served at Hutzler's.

Big line of new Stationery at Windrow's, 10c, 25c and up.

Make your real estate wants known to us. Hondo Land Co.

Fountain drinks served at F. A. Heyen's new Soda Fount, south side.

Your neighbors say that the Charter Oak stove is the best, Holloway Bros.

Buy a hamburger and eat 'till you burst at Wilkinson's Hamburger Stand.

Get a Charter Oak stove and you will get something good. Holloway Bros.

Miss Vivian Armstrong left Saturday for San Antonio where she will take a position.

Miss Lucile Davidson will leave today for Styles where she will teach the coming term.

# LADIES LISTEN

THIS ad is all for you this week. What lady does not love pretty things? Well, we will have our Grand

Fall Opening  
of up-to-date  
Millinery  
Tuesday and  
Wednesday  
September  
13th-14th

These hats were selected in person by Mrs. Bertha Williams. They were not selected from drummers' samples but in the wholesale house itself, in the leading city of the South.

Now, Ladies, we are expecting to have many pretty things to show you. Things that will please you. Remember the date

Tuesday and Wednesday, Sept. 13-14

Heyen &  
Company

Bailey gives you fits.  
Tell them where you saw their ad.

That Dollar Razor guaranteed, Holloway Bros.

How is this? \$4.40 for a H. & R. shot gun at Gaines'.

House and barn paint at \$1.25 a gallon, Holloway Bros.

Smoke the best cigars in town and buy them at Geo. Hay's.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Holloway have moved into the Greer cottage.

At the Gun Store is the place for Bargains in Guns and Cutlery. Gaines.

For sale cheap, a Draughon's Business College scholarship. Apply at this office.

When your suit looks bad phone 88 and have Conley to put it up in first-class order.

We can print most any thing in the job printing line. Get the Anvil Herald's prices.

Matt Cramer, Esq., and Emanuel Poerner were here Wednesday from Devine on legal business.

GEO. MUENNINK

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When  
you come to Hondo  
be sure and pay a call to the

Hondo Mercantile Co.

Dry Goods, Groceries, Hardware,  
Furniture, Moline  
implements and Vehicles

TELEPHONE 45

HONDO, TEXAS

Did You See  
that rig the other day? There  
is one here for  
you. Ring 37  
---order it now  
**HONDO LIVERY & FEED  
STABLE**  
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Meet me at the Soda Fountain. Cool, sparkling drinks served from the beautiful fountain at Hutzler's.  
I have on sale now swell spring and summer suits at a great reduction. Come and see them. C. D. Conley.  
Joe Keller, a prosperous Bandera County farmer, was here Saturday and enlisted with our band of readers.  
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We have a few second hand buggies for sale, both rubber tire and steel tire. See us and get prices; cheap. McClougherty & Horger.  
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Miss Bessie Gilliam arrived here Thursday to take charge of her school on Live Oak Slough which she will teach during the ensuing session.  
We are still selling out all of our hardware, tinware and dry goods at cost and will continue until the stock is sold out. Call and see us. Mask & Son.  
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# A Colonist of Canaan

By Izola Forrester

The Southwestern liner drew up at Canaan Junction. It never stopped, merely slowed up long enough to throw out the mail sack, and give the curly-headed boy in the express car a chance to call hello to Nell.

But today it stopped, stopped while one man swung off a sleeper, and the porter dropped a suit case and grip on the platform beside him. Nell stood in the doorway of the little red depot, waving her hand to the curly-headed boy, while the train pulled out. The starched cuffs of her blue-and-white shirtwaist were turned up to her elbows as a concession to the heat and the business duties of Canaan Junction. Many a warm, tired traveler in the dusty, stifling cars turned for a second look at her as she was good to rest your eyes on.

The man left behind was young, so young that he had outgrown his years, and there was a latent, careless strength, mixed with awkwardness about him that reminded one of a cub.

Nell took one look at him and caught her breath sharply. She knew him in an instant, but there was a bare chance that he had forgotten her. It had been four years, and four years is a lengthy stretch when one is 17.

He set the suit case down under the ticket shelf, and went back to the water bucket.

"It's hot enough down here, isn't it?" She watched him drain the tin cup a second time before she answered: "We don't mind it much."

"I suppose not. I came from the north. Don't suppose you know anybody here named Acton?"

The girl's hand closed tightly over the package of letters she had drawn from the mail sack. Her back was toward him. But her voice was steady and natural.

"No, I don't."

"You'd be pretty likely to know, handling all the mail, and so on, wouldn't you?"

"Oh, yes, I would know. I know the name of everybody in this town!"

"Except mine."

He came over to the ledge and leaned one elbow on it, smiling in at her cheerfully. She did not answer.

"Maybe he's using a different name," he went on, presently. "He had



She Knew Him in an Instant.

plenty of cause to change it, the Lord knows, when he started down this way. I know he's here all right, and I'm going to find him."

The telegraph instrument set up its call, and she sat down to answer it. When she rose her face was flushed slightly, and anybody well acquainted with Nell would have surmised that she was on the war path. Jopman, the town nearest the state line, was asking about Colonel Acton. Canaan Junction again stated that the party was unknown there.

"Is there a chief of police here in town?"

"Chief of police?" She flashed a startled glance at him. "No. There's a constable. He's the undertaker, too."

"Nice, handy combination," he laughed. "You people down here in this small, new town certainly economize on public offices. Thanks, I'll hunt him up. Goodby."

"Goodby." She watched him as he went along the road towards the main street, his long, easy strides kicking up a flurry of dust behind him.

The whistle over at the factory was blowing for noon. She caught up the telephone receiver and called a number.

"I want to speak to father, please. Is he there? Well, wait. Give him a message. Tell him to come over to the depot right away. Tell him to come around by the river road, not Main street. I want to show him something there."

Then she waited. It seemed hours before she caught sight of the dear old figure, swinging along the river road, his gray felt hat well back on his head, his gray mustache and imperial giving added distinction to the fine, gracious face. The tears rushed to her eyes as she watched him, but she controlled herself, and met him with a smile.

"Sit down and rest a minute, honey. You've got 20 minutes. They—they've wired for you to come down to Alcazar. It's some committee meeting, I

believe." She turned away, and bent over a time table, so that he should not see her tell-tale eyes. "You can make the 1:10 local, dear. And—don't bother about coming back tonight. I'm sure they need you down there."

"In a rush, aren't they?" laughed the colonel, wiping off his forehead. "Guess it's about their new town hall. It consists of four flags on a center plot at present, with a geranium bed in the middle. I suppose I'll have to go. Be all right, won't you, Nell?"

She nodded and smiled. It was 15 minutes now. She watched the road to Main street every now and then, half expecting Fate to play her a trick and send the long-limbed stranger back again. It wasn't wrong. She told herself over and over again, it wasn't. They had no right to come after him now, and ruin his whole life. It would have been different if he had been guilty.

A hundred suggestions and plans swept through her mind as she listened to him chat of the new town hall at Alcazar. Then all at once there was a dead silence, and she turned quickly. The colonel stood in the center of the little depot, his hands clasped comfortably under his coat tails, his lips pursed up for a whistle. And he was looking at the suitcase under the window ledge, a suitcase with the owner's name written boldly across it, "J. P. Dexter."

Nell leaned her hands on the desk and waited tensely. She had forgotten to hide the suitcase. "Well, honey girl, the cat wouldn't stay put, would it? And you going to all this trouble just to try and save your dad from himself." The colonel spoke very calmly, very reflectively, almost with a glint of humor in his blue eyes, as he saw the look on Nell's face. "When did Jack Dexter get here?"

"Father, listen." She put both hands up on his shoulders and leaned her face against his chin. She was just about on a level with his chin. "You must take this train. Surely, when you know you're in the right, it doesn't matter what other people think. They don't know for sure that you are here yet. The night operator said you were, but I know he isn't certain. I can't know me at all. Think of them sending him down here to bring you back, the boy that owed everything to you."

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He had not proceeded far when he saw an employee of the Philadelphia Electric Company lift the lid of a manhole and crawl down into the conduit chamber. Evidently the sight filled Joshua with much thought, for he gazed earnestly toward the manhole for a minute or two and then went over to a cop who was holding fast to a sunny spot on the corner.

"Excuse me, constable," said Joshua, addressing the police person, "but hain't they got a railroad down in the ground under this street?"

"They certainly have," indulgently answered the officer. "It is the subway."

"That's what they told me," responded the farmer, with another glance toward the center of the street, "but I hain't never seen it. Howsoever, I jes' seen a feiler crawlin' down ter ketch a train, an' sez I to myself, them holes may be all right for them men passengers, but they must me mighty durned inconvenient for the women folks."

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Mrs. E. Bailey came out from San Antonio Tuesday on a visit to relatives here and to look after business interests.

Mrs. Fritz Rothe Sr. returned home to D'Hanis Tuesday after spending several days here with her daughter, Mrs. Felix Batot.

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Milton Schmitt returned to St. Louis College, San Antonio, Tuesday to resume his studies in that institution with the re-opening of the 1910-1911 term.

Chas. Winkler invites all of his Medina County friends to call on him at 625 Jones Ave., San Antonio. Take the Tobin Hill car and get off on east Elmira St.

Mrs. Abb Benton of Rock Springs, wife of the County Treasurer of Edwards Co., is here on a visit to the family of her brother, C. C. Rogers and other relatives.

Miss Evelyn Davidson left last Saturday for Cuero near where she will teach school during the ensuing session. She is now attending the institute at that place.

When you go fishing make it handy to return on Friday and if your luck is bad just come by Brown's and take some fish home—don't disappoint the old woman and the kids.

There will be a meeting of the Hondo Mothers' Club at the School-house next Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. All interested in the Club work are requested to be present.

The Lippold Meat Market house was sold this week to Ed Callahan and moved from the South Side to a vacant lot elsewhere and will be converted into a residence.

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Mr. and Mrs. Russell Routh came out Sunday from San Antonio and are spending the week here. Mr. Routh is suffering from an injury to his ankle inflicted by a horse falling on him recently.

Mrs. Joe Reynolds and baby came out from San Antonio Saturday and was the guest of relatives here Sunday. Miss Bessie Brucks, who had been visiting her aunt, came home with her.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Brucks was Christened in the Catholic church last Sunday. Annie Lee was the name given the child and Mrs. Joe Reynolds and Mr. Elmer de Montel were the sponsors.

Miss Effie McClaugherty will leave today for Seguin to attend the teacher's institute for a week after which she will go to Staples, Texas, where she will be one of the teachers in the public schools for the ensuing term.

The new school building at Upper Quihi has been completed and we are requested, on behalf of the committee, And. Schuehle, H. B. Balzen and H. H. Balzen, to thank all of those who in anywise contributed to its erection.

There will be a protracted meeting at the M. E. Church South at New Fountain commencing Monday night, Sept. 12th, and closing Sunday night, Sept. 18th. There will be preaching every night and from Thursday on also at day-time. The following ministers will do the preaching: E. A. Konken from Houston; P. H. Hensch, San Antonio; H. O. Launch, New Braunfels; and F. W. Buss, Yancey. We would be glad to have all our friends attend these meetings.

ROBT. MOERNER, P. C.

In remitting his subscription, Rev. C. F. Bohmfalk, a German Methodist preacher, writes: "I am down here in Harris County and am still holding my own. I usually get my paper Monday, but it is always welcome. Although I have not been at Hondo for the last five years, I keep up with everything that is going on there. Wishing you much success." We are always pleased to receive such letters and reciprocate in kind the good wishes of friends everywhere.

Deputy Sheriff Aug. Schuehle arrested two boys, aged about 15 years respectively, here Monday afternoon and turned them over to a brother of one of them Monday night who took the erring ones home. It seems that the boys, Barnes and Woodworth by name, helped themselves to some of the family live-stock, riding paraphernalia, etc., and started out to see the world, with the above result.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Barnes Monday night but in a few brief hours the Angel of Death came and plucked its young life away to dwell in Heaven. The little body was interred in the new cemetery Tuesday afternoon, Rev. W. W. Nunn officiating. The stricken parents and grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Pluck, have the heartfelt sympathy of all who know them.

Through the instrumentality of Messrs. DeMonte & Fly, local attorneys for the G. H. & S. A. Ry. Co. at this place, Public Weigher H. H. Crow was given permission to again weigh cotton on the company's platform, which he resumed the first of the week. This is a great convenience as well as a saving of considerable work and expense to those handling cotton.

Oscar Peters left Wednesday for Bryan, Texas, where he has accepted position as a teacher in the city's public schools. Mr. Peters is a Medina County boy and graduated last spring from Baylor University. The Anvil Herald wishes him success in his chosen profession.

The members of the P. E. O. Sisterhood met at Mrs. Agnes Armstrong's Wednesday afternoon. The Sisterhood is engaged in the study of English History as outlined in the Bay View Reading Course, and its meetings are an intellectual feast for those studiously inclined.

Dr. W. H. Smith has decided to relocate in Hondo and has opened an office in the Leinweber building. He has re-purchased his auto from Willmann, Martin and Anderson and is now prepared to answer calls for his professional services at any hour. See his card elsewhere in this issue.

A card from P. Jungman announces that he and his family are enjoying themselves at Rockport, where bathing and fishing is fine all along the 75 miles of bay front contiguous to the town. Mr. Jungmann intimates that he would like to bring about a mile of this frontage back to Hondo with him.

A. P. Jones returned Wednesday evening from Falfurrias where he had been to bid on the erection of a new school building. Mr. Jones was not successful in securing the job and will, with Mr. Hurt, bid on one at Yorktown in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. A. Schmitt went to San Antonio on Thursday morning's train. They were accompanied home by their niece, Miss Adella Ruhnek who has been visiting here for the past week. Mr. and Mrs. Schmitt returned home yesterday.

Ehme Saathoff subscribed to the Anvil Herald this week for his boys. This is the proper step. There are no educational advantages that are equal to the local paper that can be placed in the hands of children at an equal cost.

C. R. Fulton has sold his livery business to Mrs. M. Terrell and after this week retires from the business. Mr. Fulton has no plans for the future beyond a lengthy camping trip for the benefit of Mrs. Fulton's health.

Joe Burrell of Riomedina was here Wednesday on business. Mr. Burrell says Riomedina is growing rapidly and they expect soon have a town there.

He has laid out some town lots and put them on the market.

Mrs. John Newsome and children left Saturday for California to join Mr. Newsome who is railroading in that state. Mrs. Newsome is a sister to our fellow townsman, Adolph F. Haass.

H. S. Sellers has sold lots 7 and 8 out of block 7, Garwood addition, to Wm. Grant for a cash consideration of \$300. The deal was made through the Land Co.

H. B. Balzen was a business caller at this office Thursday.

Best by test, the Studebaker wagon, Holloway Bros.

# OUR CLOSING OUT SALE!

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## Saturday, Sept. 3rd Continues Until Entire Stock is Sold

I will positively discontinue my Hondo store and offer the people of Hondo and surrounding country merchandise regardless of cost. Be on hand early and get the best pickings.

### We Have Moved the Store to The REYNOLDS BUILDING

One-Third Off on Men's and Boys' Summer and Winter Suits.

20 Per Cent Reduction on all Shoes in the House.

One-Third Off on all Skirts and Shirtwaists.

25 Per Cent Off on all Men's Hats and Pants.

Everything else in the house at 20 Per Cent Off.

Remember—To Save Money During These Hard Times Buy Your Fall and Winter Merchandise During This Sale and Hard Times Won't Have any Effect on Your Pocket Book.

### A. E. KLEIN, Reynolds' Building

Miss Cecil Carle is back from a visit to Dilley.

Best by test, the Studebaker wagon, Holloway Bros.

Knives and forks, any kind any price at Holloway Bros.

Clarence Hudspeth has gone to Terrell to attend school.

Geo. Carle, the Elstone merchant and postmaster, was in town Monday.

Jack Haby, a Dunlay stock-farmer, is a late addition to our band of readers.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McClaugherty were shopping and visiting in town Thursday.

Mrs. A. J. Hutzler and children visited San Antonio the first of the week on business and pleasure.

C. B. Brown has been campaigning about Devine this week in the interest of his candidacy for Sheriff.

Geo. McCall returned to San Antonio Sunday after spending the week here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. McCall.

Presiding Elder A. J. Weeks returned to San Antonio Monday morning after having conducted the quarterly conference at the local Methodist church here.

Miss Thomason, the Elocution teacher, arrived here Tuesday to re-organize her elocution class. Miss Thomason spent the summer at the University in Knoxville, Tenn., studying her profession.

Tom Heath shipped a car of wood to Alpine this week.

Miss Agnes Bowen left for her home at Corpus yesterday.

Mrs. Fred Butler is back from a lengthy visit to relatives at Seguin.

Dr. H. J. Meyer left on Friday morning's High Ball for Seguin on business.

Miss Pearl Gibbons arrived here yesterday morning and is the guest of Mrs. J. N. Dowdy.

Misses Martha Schweers and Ellen Martin left Thursday for San Antonio where they will remain for some time.

Mrs. L. J. Van Fleet and children left yesterday morning for Kyle, Tex., on a summons to the bedside of Mrs. Van Fleet's mother who suffered the misfortune of breaking an arm.

For Sale, 1920 acres patented land, fenced, 14 miles from Uvalde, one mile River front on Nueces River, pecan orchard; price \$6.50. Will take some real estate in trade, balance cash. Write W. H. Asher, Laguna, Tex.

Miss Jennie Mae Dowdy entertained her friends with a party in Public Park Saturday evening. The park was beautifully lighted with Japanese lanterns and the evening was happily spent in various juvenile games.

Posted, The King Water-hole is posted and bathing or fishing therein or shooting around it is strictly forbidden under penalty of the law.

JOE BRITSCH.  
V. P. KING.

Get it at Windrow's.

Four cars of cotton seed have been shipped from here by local gin men this week.

Let your next buggy or hack be a John Deere. There are none better. Leinweber & Huesser.

Let L. J. Brucks prepare your abstracts. He represents the Garner Abstract & Land Co. There is never any complaint about a Garner Abstract.

Messrs. Jones & Hurt expect to complete the \$8,000 addition to Hondo's school building next week and it is expected that school will open September 26th. The tin work on the new building is being done by Jack Holloway and his assistant, Ed Cyphon.

Remember that we have a large stock of wagons, hacks and buggies and can please you in quality and price. If you contemplate the purchase of a vehicle call on us before buying. Leinweber & Huesser.

The new fixtures for the postoffice are now installed and the lock boxes are being let with a view to moving into the new quarters next week, or as the balance of the fixtures arrive and approved by the postoffice authorities. The old postoffice building will be occupied as soon as vacated by Conley's tailor shop.

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